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In re Application of : Yanagimachi et al.
Serial No. : 09/371,648
Filing Date : August 10, 1999
For : MAMMALIAN TRANSGENESIS BY
INTRACYTOPLASMIC SPERM INJECTION
Group Art Unit : 1632
Examiner : Peter Paras, Jr.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Box RCE
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request an additional one-month extension of time to respond to an Office Action mailed February 7, 2001. A shortened statutory period for response to the February 7, 2001 Office Action was set for May 7, 2001.

Applicants filed an Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 on June 18, 2001, accompanied by a Petition for a two-month extension of time and the petition fee of \$390.00, extending the deadline for response to July 7, 2001. An Advisory Action was mailed by the Office on July 16, 2001.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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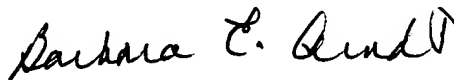
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Applicants here submit, with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), a Petition for a further one-month extension of time, and the petition fee of \$110.00.

If the check is insufficient or inadvertently omitted, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Jones, Day, Reavis & Pogue Deposit Account No. 50-1432, our Reference No. 265036-600070.

Respectfully submitted,



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